Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 01 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 02 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 31 Jul 2024 at 13:56

Confidence: High confidence in the broad themes. Main uncertainties in the extent of any showers Thursday morning and the timing of rain on Friday.

Headline for Thursday 01 Aug 2024: Rather cloudy morning with the odd spot of light rain, sunny spells in afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 01 Aug 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
60%	60%	20%	30%	30%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Thursday 01 Aug 2024

Weather: Occasionally heavy, possibly thundery showers will clear away through the early hours. It will then be rather cloudy with the odd light shower possible through the rest of the morning. Mainly dry with sunny spells in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 50% at first, rising to 90% in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud bases occasionally below summit level through the morning, lifting and breaking up in the afternoon. Visibility generally very good, perhaps moderate in showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/7 SW	4/6 SW	11/15 SW	9/13 W	9/15 W	11/17 SW	8/12 SW	9/12 SW	11/14 S
300	3/6 W	3/4 NW	4/9 W	6/10 W	7/13 W	8/15 SW	7/10 SW	4/8 SW	5/9 S
Valley	3/6 W	2/5 W	2/7 SW	5/10 W	7/13 W	7/14 SW	6/10 S	3/7 SW	4/9 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/12	12/12	12/11	14/12	15/13	17/15	15/14	13/12	13/11
300	14/13	13/13	14/14	16/16	18/17	20/18	18/17	14/14	13/13
Valley	14/14	14/14	15/15	17/17	19/18	20/19	19/18	15/15	14/14
<< Freezing Level*	3300m	3000m	2800m	2900m	2700m	2900m	3000m	3000m	2900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for the risk of sunburn, especially during the afternoon.

Forecast for Friday 02 Aug 2024

Weather: A bright start but becoming increasingly wet and very windy in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: 35-45 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60%.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud bases down to summit level at times, especially later in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius rising 18 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 10 Celsius rising 13 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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